NONE SO COOD.

Prizes Awarded at the Poultry Show,

We give below the full list of premiums offered at the poultry show last week, with the names of the winners.

The show is to become a permanent affair and will be held in Owosso every winter. The show will undoubtedly be an incentive to breeders to produce even better birds than the best breeders now

The leading exhibitors at the show were: Phillip Kline, Vernon; J. A. Armstrong, Wm. Sawer, V. E. Josenhans, G. St. Clair. J C Reynolds, A. A. Sherman, J. D. Priest, E. L. Brewer, Burns Brewer, D. W. Watters, G. E. Kaiser, C. P. Reynolds, O. G. Campbell, H. Osmer, J. Symns, Owosso; C. H. Brown, Lenuon; C. Munger, Vernon.

The highest scoring was on a White Wyandotte pullet owned by C. St. Clair, of this city. It scored 94%. Mr. St. Clair secured seventeen first premiums on his twenty entries. His pen of seven White Wyandottes scored from 90 to 94%. Excepting for a second and third prize C. P. Reynolds took the field on White Leghorns, which scored very high. The winners are:

Barred Plymouth Rocks-Cock, Kline 1st, Armstrong 2nd; Hen, Armstrong 1st, Sawer 2nd, Josenhans 3rd; Cockerel, Armstrong 1st, E L Brewer 2nd, Armstrong 3rd; Pullet Josenhaus 1st, Armstrong 2nd and 3rd; Pen, 1st Armstrong, 2nd Sawer, Kline 3rd. 46 in

White Plymouth Rocks-Cock, J C Reynolds, 1st; Hen, 1st and 2nd. J C Reynolds; Cockerel, Brown 1st; Pullet 1, 2 and 3 Brown; Breeding pen,1st Brown 10 in class.

Silver Wyandottes-Cock, 1st Sherman, 2nd Brewer; Hen, 1st and 2nd E L Brewer, 3rd Sherman; Cockerel, 1st St. Clair, 2nd Campbell, 3rd J C Reynolds; Pullet, 1st Campbell, 2nd JC Reynolds, 3rd J C Reynolds; Pen, 1st Campbell, 2nd J C Reynolds, 3rd E L Brewer, 39

Golden Wyandottes-Cock, 1st St. Clair; Hen, 1st St Chair, Cockerel, 1st Munger, and St Clair; Pullet, 1st St Clair, 2nd and 3rd Munger; Pen, 1st St Clair, 2nd Munger, 16 in class.

White Wyandottes-Cock, 1st St Clair, Hen, 1st St Clair, 2nd and 3rd Josenhaus; Cockerel, 1st St Clair, 2nd Josenbans: Pullet, 1st and 2nd St Clair, 3rd Josenhans; Pen; 1st St Clair, 2nd Josenbans, 14 in class,

Light Brahmas-Cock 1st Sawer, Hen, 1st Sawer, 2nd and 3rd Joshenhans, Cockerel 1st Josenhans, 2nd Sawer, Pul-2 and 3rd Sawer, Pen, 1st . hans, 2nd and 3rd Sawer, 18 in class.

Buff Cochins-Cock, Priest 1st, Hen, 1st and 2nd Munger, Cockerel, 1, 2 and 3 Josenhans, Puliet, 1, 2 and 3 Josenhans. Pen 1st Josenhans. 17 in class.

Patridge Cochins-Cock, 1st and 3rd B Brewer, 2nd H Osmer: Hen, 1st Munger, 2 and 3 Brewer, Cockerel 1st Munger, 2nd B Brewer, 3rd Sherman; Pullet, 1st Munger, 2nd Brewer, 3rd Sherman, Pen, 1st Munger, 2nd Brewer, 3rd Brewer. 32 in class.

White Langshans-All to Munger. White Leghorns-Cock, 1st C P Reynolds, Cockerel, 1st Reynolds, 2nd Waters, Hen, 1, 2, and 3 Reynolds, Pullet, 1st and 2nd Reynolds, 3rd Waters, Pen, 1st Reynolds, 14 in class.

Black Minoreas-1st cock, Kiaser, Hen, 1st, 2nd and third Kiaser, Cockerel, 1st Kiaser, Pullet, 1st Kiaser, Pen, 1st Kiaser, 8 in class.

White Minorcas-All to'Josenhans, Redcaps-All to Josenhans.

Houdans -Ad to St. Clair.

seven in class.

Bl. Br. Red Games Cock-1st Munger; Hen, 1st Munger; Cockerel, 1st Sawer; Pullet, 1st Sawer, 4 in class. Br Red Games-All to Munger 6 in

Red Pily Games-All to Munger '8 in

Cornish Indian Games-All to Sawer,

White Cochin Bantams-Cock, 11st Josenhans; hen, 1st Josenhans; cockerel 1st and 2nd Josenhans; pullet 1, 2 and 3 Josenhans; pen 1st Josenhans; 2nd Munger; 12 in class. Buff Cochin Bautams-All' to Munge

8 in class Red Pile Game Bantams-All to Mus

Bl. Br. Game Bantams-All to Munger 8 in class.

Pekin Ducks-Cock 1st Josenhaus; hen 1st, 2d and 3d, C. P. Reynolds; cockerel 1st Reynolds, 2nd Symms, 3rd Josenhans & Sawyer pullets, 1st Thompson, 2nd Symms, 3rd Josenhans, Pen 1st Symms, 2nd Sawer; 24 in class.

Aylesbury Ducks - All to Josenhans. Rouen Ducks-All to Josenhaus. Toulouse Geese-All to Josenhans. Embdem Geese - All to Josenhaus. Doves-1st on display to Ferguson, 2nd to J Reynolds.

Pet Stock-All to John Brooks.

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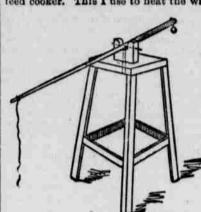


### KILLING HOGS.

Sensible Contrivances For Facilitating the Business.

In spite of the fact that be does not appear to believe in killing hogs on the farm, a correspondent of the Iowa Somestead seems to have some very ensible notions about the operation and, as he remarks, if people will butcher at home perhaps this method will help:

I have a house to work in and a good feed cooker. This I use to heat the wa-



DEVICE FOR LIFTING A HOG.

ter with. The next thing is a tank, and I made one like this: I took a plank 20 feet long, 20 inches wide and 11/4 inches thick. This, cut to pieces, makes a tank 51/2 feet wide by 20 inches high. I use a common cream thermometer to aid in getting the water to the right temperature. It should be about 160 degrees. If the hogs are heavy, I use a device for raising them, which is illustrated here.

The body of the stool is 14 inches square, the legs 6 feet long, and the swivel on the stool 8 inches square, with a bolt in the bottom that should go part way through the stool. A groove is cut in the top of the swivel block for the pole to rest in, with a bolt through it to hold it in place. When the pole is off, one man can pick the stool up and carry it anywhere. When the hog is raised, it can be swung around any place and taken off and placed on another support while the next one is raised. If the water is at the right temperature it is an eas · matter to get the hair off the hogs. After they are dressed they should be cut to pieces and salted before freezing, the lean meat made into sausage, the hams and shoulders trimmed and put into one barrel and the pork into another. The bams and shoulders should be taken out of the brine in about six weeks and smoked. then by the 1st of March they will be ready for the table.

## A Possible New Industry.

Recent reports to the secretary of agriculture indicate that the climate of Washington state is well adapted to the growing of cauliflower seed, which is always supposed to be impossible of production in the United States. If this s so, a good market awaits Washington growers. At present all such seed is imported from Europe, mostly from Denmark. The American vice consul at Copenhagen writes to the state department that cauliflower seed there has gained importance as an article of export in recent years on account of soil and climatic conditions, which are especially favorable. The species cultivated is known as the Erfurt Dwarf, he states, called also the Copenhagen cauliflower, or sometimes the Snowball. It has been brought to great perfection. The seed is sown in September and gathered a year later, the plants requiring constant attention in the meantime, says a Wash-ington correspondent of The American

Material For Covering Ice.

Undoubtedly sawdust is the best material to cover ice with, but in the part of the country where I live but little sawdust can be had because it is a long distance to any place where it is made in large quantities. Marsh hay is used instead of sawdust, and by many it is considered just as good. Clover straw or oat straw will do very well. Of the two, clover straw with the chaff from hulling is the better material, says a writer in Prairie Farmer.

A Farm Convenience. A bandy contrivance that should be on every farm where more or less hot water is needed for mixing food or other purposes is illustrated by the Pittsburg Dispatch. Such an arrangement is in-



FOR HEATING WATER

valuable on a large poultry farm or on diary farm where mixed grains are led warm in cold weather. A fire box is built of bricks-fire bricks are the best if obtainable—laid in mortar in the usual way, the first layer of bricks being placed below the level of the soil. The frame must be made strong and

should be of oak or hickory, well braced. Two bars of iron are riveted to the crossbar of the frame with hooks at the lower end to slip through the handles of the kettle. There is now on the market a steel kettle with cover, which is not more expensive than the old fashioned iron kettle and which is to be preferred because it is much lighter and consequently may be bandled more easily, a decided advantage where there is but one or two pairs of hands to do

# SHIPS SAVED AT SEA.

WHAT IS MEANT BY "SALVAGE" AND HOW IT IS PAID.

There is No Law That Signals of Distress at Sea Must Be Heeded-Publie Opinion Alone Enforces Responses to Calls For Help.

Salvage on ships saved at sea by others in the majority of cases is paid by the underwriters, although the big steamship companies insure themselves. The insurance companies think that a board of arbitration can more satisfactorily adjust salvage claims than can the courts. The word salvage, as defined by that celebrated admiralty authority, Roscoe, is "the reward which is earned by those who have voluntarily saved or assisted in saving a ship or boat or their apparel or any sort thereof or the lives of persons at sea or a ship, cargo or any part thereof, from peril or a wreck from total loss." The last part of the definition is a trifle puzzling.

In discussing the merits of salvage cases it must be remembered that there is no obligation, written or implied, upon the master or crew of any vesse to beed signals of distress. Public opinion alone enforces the idea that "a call for help at sea must be obeyed." The laws of salvage are merely framed to encourage the saving of life and property on the deep. There is avarice in the mariner as in landsmen, and the laws are made to overcome and curb these mercenary ambitions. For that reason a master and his crew cannot expect salvage for saving their own vessel. It is the natural assumption in law, as well as in fact, that they must do everything they can to preserve their charge and under an agreement with the owners keep it from danger whenever possible.

In salvage one of the first laws is that the peril must be actual. The bargain made in time of danger by the mester or agent of the imperiled craft with another volunteering aid need not of necessity hold in court, and generally does not. As a rule the bargain is exorbitant made at a time when the victim would be willing to guarantee the payment of millions for proffered assistance. This point has been decided hundreds of times, the courts taking the stand that the peril made an exor-

bitant bargain necessary. As a general thing, the salvage award is equal to about one-third the value in the case of sailing craft and from one-third to one-half in the case of steamers. The owners of the salving craft, whose money was wasted by delay, wear and tear, are of course entitled to the bigger piece of the plum. The master of the salvor gets about twice the sum that his mate receives, and the mate is paid something like double the amount of each sailor.

Should the latter have been a member of a lifeboat crew used in running bawsers or in going aboard as a prize crew he and his mates are entitled to an extra compensation. Naval officers cannot claim salvage when the work accomplished is in the direct line of their duty.

In the case of a abandoned vessel there is a peculiar law as applied to ownership. No matter where the derelict be found and towed or assisted in by a prize crew or otherwise the court holds that she is still the property of her original owners, although abandonno effort has been made by them to recover her. It sounds peculiar to the average mariner, but it's the law.

To make a successful salvage claim it is necessary that the property must be actually saved and saved by those claiming to be salvors. In other words, the salvage services must be rendered by persons not bound by contract to render them. If the mariner or other encounters the danger or misfortune or damage which might possibly expose the ship to destruction unless assistance is rendered and does all he can to save the vessel, and his services tend in some degree to save or preserve her, compensation will be awarded him, although the vessel is mainly preserved by other

means. The longest time that any one steam er has been at sea with disabled machinery before reaching port was 77 days. This was the United States corvette Iroquois in 1890. She was bound to Samoa from Honoluju, and had only seven days' rations left when port was reached. In 1897 the steamer Indralema was towed into St. Thomas after baving been at sea for 47 days. The Glasgow steamer Stratbness, after drifting 82 days out of the range of steamers, was towed into St. Michael's in January, 1897, by the British steamer Han-nah M. Bell. Another Strath, the Strathnevis, drifted helplessly on the Pacific for two months and over in 1895, and was finally towed into Puget sound. The Disptach in 1864 was out 61 days with crippled machinery, and four years ago the British cruiser Calypso broke down 2,000 miles from port and sailed in unsided, much to the de light of the dwindling band of naval experts who maintain that every warship ought to be provided with ample mil power.

The owners of those ships that were obliged to drift for weeks, and in several cases for months, would not have found fault with the question of salvage had a helping hand come along—at least there would have been no complaint just then .- New York Mail and

Work of Helpmates. I was driving through one of the best farming districts in western Ontario a few years ago. I expressed my admira-

"Yes," said my companion, who knew the country thoroughly, "nearly all the farmers around here have second

"Why?" was my surprised inquiry.
"Oh," he answered, "they killed their first wives making the farm!"— Perth Expositor.

## Gentlemen of the Jury.

The following jurors bave been draw
for the February term of the circuit court
Antrim
BenningtonJohn J. Perkin
BurnsDaniel W. Lewi
Caledonia S. Z. Ric
FairfieldJ. C. Banghar
HazeltonJames Phillip
Middlebury Albert Cod
New HavenStephen McCaffer
Owosso TwpGeorge Coake
PerryB. F. Cudne
RushAllen A. Porte
Sciota A. D. Barne
ShiawasseeAlfred Greenma
Venice William School
VernonJoseph Wrigh
WoodnallOscar Burlingam
Owoeso City-
1st wardCharles Lemo
2d "E. T. Broeff

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	3d	44		
	4th	44		W. McNulty
	5th	45		W. Ward
Co	runns	, lst		dL. Etschmann
		2d	**	Loren Warriner
		3d	44	Wesley Raymond
Fa	irfield			E. R. Munson
H	zeltor	1		James Conklin
				Harry Binger
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				Robert Fulton
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New Books.
The Ladies' Library has received the
following new books:
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The Honorable Peter StirlingFord
Trials of a Staff OfficerKing
Captain Courageous Kipling
Hope, The Hermit Lyall
Ye Lyttle Salem MaideMackie
Pauline WymanMay
Hugh Wynne, 2 volsMitchell
The Battle of the StrongParker
KronstadtPemberton
A Virginia CavalierSeawell
The Deluge, 2 volsSienkiewicz
Pan Michael "
Caleb WestSmith
Tom Grogan
The Castle InnWeyman
Penelope's ProgressWiggin
Two Ways of Becoming a Hustler
Castlemon

Oscar in Africa..... Camp in the Foothills..... Lost in the Rockies......Ellis White Aprons......Goodwin The Magic Nuts. .....Molesworth Carrots..... Margaret Montfort......Richards

Dorothy Draycott's Tomorrow, Townsend The Kidney Complexion.

The pale, sallow, sunken-cheeked, dis tressed-looking people you so often meet are afflicted with "Kidney Complexion." Their kidneys are turning to a parsnip color. So is their complexion.

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You can get the regular sizes at the drug store, at fifty cents and one dollar, or you may first prove for yourself the wonderful virtues of this great discovery, Swamp-Root, by sending your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton, N. Y. for a sam-ple bottle and a book that tells all about it, both sent to you absolutely free by mail. When writing kindly mention that you read this iberal offer in the Owosso Times.

# Marriage Licenses.

l	Wm. C. Morrison, West Haven	5
1	Cora Holden, West Haven	2
1	John G. Smith, Owosso Essie M. Post, Owosso	2
	Essie M. Post, Owosso	2
1	Dewey McKenzie, Burton	2
	Olive Purves, Burton	2
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He Fooled The Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by W. E. Collins & Co., Druggists.

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The Ann Arbor railroad will sell excur sion tickets to Detroit and return, at one fare for the round trip, Feb. 21st and for morning trains of the 22nd, good to return until Feb. 23rd, account of Michigan Club annual meeting and banquet.

The Ann Arbor railroad will sell excur-sion tickets to Jackson, Mich., and return, Feb 28th and March 1st, return limit March 2nd, at one fare for the round trip, account of Prohibition party State co

Hon. W. J. Bryan will deliver an address on 1 perialism at University Hall. Ann Arbor. Saturday evening, February 18th. For this occasion the Ann Arbor Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Ann Arbor and return at one fare for the round trip, good, to return until February 20th. Ticke be sold from points north of Ann Arbor for train No. 2 only.

It has been held that consumption is hereditary, and the fact that one person of a family had died with consumption was considered a sure sign that others of that family could not escape sit. This is partly true and partly untrue. A man with weak lungs is likely to transmit that weakness to his children. But there is no reason in the world why the weakness should be allowed whelesome blood, and the weakness will disappear. Decaying tissues will be thrown off, and new material will be added until the lungs are well and perfectly strong again. This is the thing that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery does what makes it cure 98 per cent of all cases of consumption where it is taken according to directions. It searches out disease germs
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4 and 5, and n# lot 3 bik 3, Perry, \$100. S. Manzer to R Freeman, pt nel sec 28 and nwł nwł sec 27, Sciota, \$2600. M. C. Dawes to J. Robinson, st lot 1 blk

4. Crawford's add, Owosso, \$100. E. Beebe to L. Van Dusen and J. Montfort, lot on sec 13, Owosso, \$800.

## Glorious News.

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Elec tric Bitters has cured M:s. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help, but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Elec tric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores It stimulates liver, kidney and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion builds up the strength Only 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Collins & Co., Druggists.

## Probate Court.

Mrs. Ida Chaiker reported to the court the sale of real estate as guardian of Merle E Chalker, a minor. Sale was confirmed and deed issued.

On March 13th John H. Gormley will render to the court his fina, account as executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth M. Davis, deceased. Petition for license to sell real estate

made in the estate of Mariah Bennett, deceased, by Walter C. Balcom, executor of the will of deceased. Hearing, Mar. 24. The hearing set for Monday for rendering the final account of Francis H. Morrice, administrator of the estate of Wm.

Judge Bush until Feb. 20th. In thd estate of George W. M. Waugh, deceased, Thos. Marvin has been appointed general administrator. The commissioners are Silas B. Southworth, George

Huntoon and Edward M. Plunkett. The claim of Joel Pardee vs. the estate of Lulu M. Smith for \$100 was heard Monday before Commissioner Collins. W. J. Parker represented the plaintiff and A.E.

court to be allowed to close the estate as administrator of the estate of Abraham G. Stephens, deceased, unless George Bixby files security for costs in the matter of having the commission on claims revived.

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Commissioner's Notice matter of the estate of George W.

Waugh deceased

We, the undersigned, having been appointed
by the Hon. Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate
in and for the county of Shiawassee, State of
Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine
and adjust all claims and demands of all per and adjust all claime and demands of all persons against said estate, do hereby give notice, that we will meet at the office of Silas B. Southworth, in the township, of Middlebury in said counsy, on Saturday, the 18th day of May, 1899, and on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the foremoon of each of said days, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting all claims against said estate, and that air months from the 18th day of February. 1899 are allowed to creditors to present their claims to said commissioners for adjustment and allowance.

Dated, the 18th day of February. 1899.

SILAS B. SOUTHWORTH,
GEORGE A. HUNTOON,
EDWARD M. PLUNKETT,
Commissioners.

### Election Notice

Election Notice

Michigan, Department of State, 
Lausing, January 30, 1899.

Te the Sheriff of the County of Shiawassee.

Sir: You are hereby notified that at the General Election to be held in this State, on the first Monday of April next, the following officers are to be elected viz:

A Justice of the Supreme Court in place of Claudius B. Grant, whose term of office expires December 31, 1899; also two Reyents of the University of Michigan, in place of Peter N. Cook and Ell B. Sutt. n, whose terms of office expire December 31, 1899

Also, a Circuit Judge for the Thirty-fifth Judicial Circuit to which your county is attached, in place of Stearns F. Smith, whose term of office will expire December 31, 1899

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereun to set my hand, and affixed the Great Seat of the State of Michigan, at Lausing, the day and year first above written.

J. S. STEARNS,

J. S. STEARNS, Secretary of State.

Sheripp's Office. Shiawassee County, Mich. To the Voters of Shiawassee County:
You are hereby notified that in addition to the above hat at the said election to be 'eid on the first Monday of April next the followin, officer for the County of Shiawassee will be elected, viz: One County Commissioner of Schools

MONROE L. SCOUGALE, Sheriff Dated, Corunna, February 15, 1809.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

State of Michigan, County of Shlawassee, ss—In the matter of the Estate of Charles H. Novess, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased by the Hon Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate in and for said county, on the 3d day of Janu ry, A. D. 1899, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of John S. Haggart's store, in the city of Owosso, in said county, on Saturday, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day all right, title, and intere—t of said estate in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the city of Owosso, county of Shia wassee. State of Michigan, towit: A piece of land on lot thirteen (18) of book tweive (12) of A. L. & B. O. Williams' addition to the city of Owosso, further described as commencing at a point four (4) feet north of the south west corner of said lot, thence north thirty-one (31) feet, thence east six (6) rods to place of beginning.

Dated, February 10, A. D., 1899.

Administrator of the Estate of Charles H. Novess, deceased.

# Probate Order.

State of Michigan, County of Shlawassee, as—
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Shlawassee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Corunna, on Thursday, the 2nd day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and mety nine
Present, Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of George Thomas, deceased.

In the matter of the estate of George Thomas, deceased.

On reading and fling the petition, duly verified, of Alfred T. Thomas praying, amongst other things, for the probate of the instrument now filed in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of asid deceased.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday the 18th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden in the Probate Office in the City of Corunna, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. W. Seymour, deceased, was adjourned by

granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by onusing a copy of this order to be published in This Owosso Times, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Shlawassee, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

MATTHEW BUSH.

Judge of Probate.

Probate Order.

Parker represented the plaintiff and A.E. Richards the estate.

In the estate of Hannah P. Hunt, deceased, Henry M. Silisby as executor, has rendered his final account.

Archibald Kane will render his final account as administrator of the estate of Ellen M. Kane, deceased, on March 20.

Andrew J. Muzzey, through his attorney, John T. McCurdy, asks the probate court to be allowed to close the estate as court to be allowed to close the estate as

Probate ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of bearing, in THE OWOSSO TIMES, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Shiawassee.

MATTHEW BUSH,

BY KATHERINE E. KELSEY, Prodate Register

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